



PATENT

Docket No. 110.02090101

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): SCHMIDT et al.)
Serial No.: 10/620,183)
Confirmation No.: 8654)
Filed: July 15, 2003)
For: CATALYTIC PARTIAL OXIDATION OF HYDROCARBONS

Group Art Unit: 1764
Examiner: In Suk C. Bullock

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Restriction Requirement mailed July 3, 2006, thereby extending the date on which the period of response is set to expire from October 3, 2006 to November 3, 2006.

Please charge the amount of \$60 for the required extension fee, and charge any additional fees, or credit any over-payment, to PTO Deposit Account No. 13-4895.

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